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For: A HIGH-HAT STAND

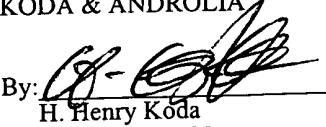
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- 7 sheets of drawings
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- Information Disclosure Statement by Applicant
- Preliminary Amendment
- An assignment of the invention to YAMAHA CORPORATION
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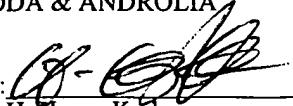
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